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H 0001-D**GENERAL BILL by Goodlette; (CO-SPONSORS) Bense; Farkas; Green; Hasner; Spratt (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0002-D) Medical Incidents; provides that Children's Medical Services Act applies to infants receiving compensation under Fla. Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Plan; provides limitations on noneconomic damages which can be awarded in causes of action involving medical negligence; provides that action for bad faith may not be brought against medical malpractice insurer if such insurer offers to pay policy limits within specified time period, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$3,767,780. Effective Date: 09/15/2003 except as otherwise provided.

08/13/03 HOUSE Read third time -HJ 00015; Temporarily postponed on third reading; On Unfinished Business -HJ 00016; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2-D (Ch. 2003-416)

Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-416

S 0002-D GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Jones; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Clary; Diaz de la Portilla; Lawson; Lee; Peaden; Pruitt; Saunders; Sebesta; Smith (Similar H 0001-D) Medical Incidents; deletes requirement that persons act in good faith to avoid liability or discipline for their actions re awarding of staff membership or clinical privileges; limits noneconomic damages in medical negligence actions; provides limitation on amount of damages which may be awarded to certain third parties in actions alleging bad faith by medical malpractice insurer, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$4,617,780. Effective Date: 09/15/2003 except as otherwise provided. 08/13/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00028 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor; 08/14/03

H 0003-D**GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Kyle; (CO-SPONSORS) Benson; Bilirakis; Brown; Brummer; Evers; Kravitz; Sansom; Spratt (Similar S 0004-D) <u>Department of Corrections</u>; provides DOC a mechanism for additional positions & operational funds if inmate population of dept. exceeds projections of July 9, 2003, Criminal Justice Estimating Conference; provides dept. additional operations & fixed capital outlay appropriations for fiscal year 2003-2004 & specifies purposes of operations appropriations; authorizes dept. to contract for construction of annex at Santa Rosa Correctional Institution, etc. Amends 216.262,.292. Appropriation: \$65,877,731. Effective Date: 08/14/2003.

> 08/13/03 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00018 08/14/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor; Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-417; See also SB 2-A (Ch. 2003-397)

S 0004-D GENERAL BILL by Crist (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0003-D)

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Department of Corrections; provides DOC a mechanism for additional positions & operational funds if inmate population of dept. exceeds projections of Criminal Justice Estimating Conference; provides additional operations & fixed capital outlay appropriations for 2003-2004 fiscal year; provides purposes for operating appropriations; provides appropriation to Correctional Privatization Commission for 2003-2004 fiscal year, etc. Amends 216.262,.292. Appropriation: \$65,952,731. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/13/03 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 00024; Substituted HB 3-D -SJ 00024; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 3-D (Ch. 2003-417)